

RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL AND FEE AUTHORIZATION

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| ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 15162/02070 | | APPLICATION NO. 09/586,641 | |
| FILING DATE JUNE 5, 2005 | CONFIRMATION NO. 7764 | CUSTOMER NO. 24367 | EXAMINER THIERRY L. PHAM |
| GROUP ART UNIT 2624 | | | |
| APPLICANT(S): HIROKATSU SHIMADA | | | |
| TITLE OF INVENTION: PRINTER CONTROL DEVICE AND METHOD TO CONTROL PRINTERS IN NETWORK TO WHICH MULTIPLE PRINTERS ARE CONNECTED, AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT TO PERFORM SAID CONTROL | | | |

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PATENT APPLICATION IS:

- ☒ (A) A response to the Office Action dated: March 28, 2005
- ☐ (B) A Petition for Extension of Time
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☐ for 3 months;
A Petition for Extension of Time, having been previously filed,
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☐ for 3 months
- ☐ (C) A Notice of Appeal. \$
- ☐ (D) An Appellant's Brief on Appeal. \$
- ☐ (E) Other: . \$
- ☐ (F) A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27
☐ Small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been previously established
- ☒ The claims fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below

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Date of Deposit

Mark A. Dodd

Name of Applicant, Assignee, or Registered Representative

Mark A. Dodd

Signature

June 6, 2005

Date of Signature

| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |
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| TOTAL | 27 | MINUS | 20 | 7 |
| INDEP. | 5 | MINUS | 4 | 1 |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM | | | | |

SMALL ENTITY

| RATE | ADD'L FEE |
|--------------------|-----------|
| x \$25 | \$ |
| x \$100 | |
| + \$180 | |
| TOTAL ADD'L FEE | \$ 0.00 |

LARGE ENTITY

| RATE | ADD'L FEE |
|--------------------|-----------|
| x \$50 | \$ 350.00 |
| x \$200 | 200.00 |
| + \$360 | |
| TOTAL ADD'L FEE | \$ 550.00 |

OR

- ☒ Please charge \$550.00 to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260, which includes
☒ the amount of \$550.00 for the claims fee calculated above AND/OR
☐ the amount of \$ for the fee for item(s) ☐ (B) ☐ (C) ☐ (D) ☐ (E) ☐ (F)
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees (other than issue fee) required during the pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 18-1260. Please credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-1260.
- ☒ A duplicate copy of this Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization is enclosed.

June 6, 2005

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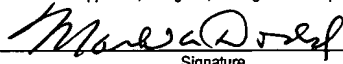
IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Examiner: Thierry L. Pham

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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated March 28, 2005, which provides for a response period ending June 28, 2005.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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